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**General Position Information** 

Job Title: PE304 - FOIA Team Lead - GS14

Salary Range: \$99,172 – \$152,352 (not applicable for detailees)

**Vacancy Open Period:** 11/25/2019 – 12/10/2019

Position Type: Cadre, Detailee

Who May Apply: Internal ODNI Candidates, Detailees

**Division:** DNI/SE/ID/IMD

**Duty Location:** Bethesda, MD

Security Clearance: TS/SCI with CI Polygraph

Travel Required: 0-25% Travel

Relocation Expenses: For new ODNI employees, reimbursement for relocation is discretionary based on availability of funds.

Job Interview Travel: Candidates from outside the Washington, D.C., area may be selected for a telephone, teleconference, or in-person interview. If selected for an in-person interview, any travel or lodging will be at the applicant's personal expense.

#### **Position Information**

This is an opportunity for:

- An internal candidates to fill a GS-14 cadre position.
- A Federal Government employee to serve on a two-year reimbursable detail assignment in the ODNI. The detail assignment may be extended an additional year if all parties agree.

#### Who May Apply

Current GS employees at the same grade or one grade lower than the advertised position grade may apply.

Former members of the Peace Corps may be considered for ODNI employment only if five full years have elapsed since separation from the Peace Corps.

- For a cadre assignment:
  - Current ODNI permanent cadre.
- For a detailee assignment:
  - Current Federal Government employees. (Current GS employees at the same grade or one grade lower than the advertised position grade may apply.)



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### **Salary Determination**

- The ODNI uses a rank-in-person system in which rank is attached to the individual.
- A selected ODNI candidate or other Federal Government candidate will be assigned to the position at the employee's current GS grade and salary.

### **Component Mission:**

The Office of the Deputy Director of National Intelligence for Strategy and Engagement (S&E) is responsible for aligning the Intelligence Community's current focus with future strategies to drive national security outcomes. S&E positions the IC to achieve the future vision by leading transformative initiatives and cutting-edge research and development; supporting and spurring innovations; re-imagining data management in the digital age; establishing clear policy direction; and actively engaging with senior policymakers and the public.

### **Major Duties and Responsibilities:**

- Apply analytic skills to the review, release, and redaction where necessary according to legal exemptions processes and determinations of the FOIA Branch in developing responses to requesters.
- Ensure proper case management, including the recording and tracking of FOIA requests to the ODNI, and work with the FOIA Branch Chief to develop and improve processes.
- Support the FOIA Branch Chief in the preparation of annual reports to the Department of Justice.
- Work closely with the Office of General Counsel on litigation cases to ensure timely responses to the Department of Justice.
- Plan, develop, and oversee the implementation of interagency information sharing activities and programs by coordinating and integrating the competing requirements and priorities of multiple stakeholders, to include planning and participating in interagency meetings.
- Plan, prepare, and present briefings, reports, and presentations to ODNI leadership, senior policymakers, IC members, and other intelligence consumers in a manner that meets their specified requirements.

### **Mandatory and Educational Requirements:**

- Demonstrated ability to communicate clearly, orally and in written reports and documents, policies, plans, and programs related to improving information sharing across the U.S. Government.
- Demonstrated ability to logically analyze, synthesize, and judge information, as well as the demonstrated ability to review and incorporate multiple sources of information in performing assignments.
- Demonstrated ability to develop effective professional and interpersonal relationships with peers and colleagues in ODNI, the IC, and U.S. Government, and to earn their confidence and trust.
- Demonstrated ability to balance responsibilities among assigned activities; including the demonstrated ability to manage transitions effectively from task to task, and demonstrated adaptability to varying customer needs.



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#### **Desired Requirements:**

Experience:

Two years Information Management experience, including a familiarity with the Department of Justice oversight of FOIA administration.

Education:

Bachelor's degree or equivalent experience as determined by mission specialty area.

### **Key Requirements and How to Apply**

Internal ODNI Cadre Candidates <u>must</u> submit an application through the classified <u>JobsDNI</u> website.

For current employees who do not currently have access to internal systems, applications should be sent to either DNI\_COO\_TM\_HR\_OPS\_TEAM\_A\_WMA@cia.ic.gov (classified email system) or Recruitment\_TeamA@dni.gov (unclassified email system).

Applicants experiencing technical issues may submit their application via email to either email system.

Applicants submitting via JWICS are requested to submit their materials to both portifa@dni.ic.gov (Faith P.) and Brookkl@@dni.ic.gov (Karren L.) in lieu of the group address above.

All attachments should be in Microsoft Word or Adobe PDF format.

Applications submitted through the classified email system should NOT contain classified information above the TS//SI/TK//NOFORN level.

### **CURRENT FEDERAL EMPLOYEES APPLYING FOR A DETAIL ASSIGNMENT:**

Applicants from federal agencies within the Intelligence Community (IC) may be considered for this position as a reimbursable detailee, if endorsed by the employing agency. Applicants must have current TS/SCI clearances with polygraph or have the ability to obtain one. The ODNI does not conduct polygraphs or provide security clearances for detailees. Applicants from within the IC <u>must</u> submit an application through the classified IC Joint Duty Program website.

### Applicants from federal agencies outside the IC must provide:

- a. WRITTEN ENDORSEMENT from the employing agency concurring with the detail.
- b. **RESUME:** Applicants are encouraged to carefully review the vacancy announcement, particularly the MDRs, and construct their resume to highlight their most significant experience and qualifications relevant to this job opportunity.



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- c. PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS: Applicants are required to provide their two most recent performance evaluations. A justification is required in the cover letter if the applicant is unable to provide the two most recent evaluations.
- d. **VACANCY NUMBER:** Reference the vacancy number in the subject line of the email and on each document submitted.
- e. **CURRENT SF-50:** Federal Government employees must provide an SF-50, "Notification of Personnel Action" to verify current federal status, position, title, grade, and organization of record. Please disregard if you are not a Federal Government employee.
- f. **COVER LETTER:** Applicants must submit a cover letter as a supplement to the resume to elaborate on their qualifications and previous work performed.

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### **All Applicants:**

APPLICATION PACKAGES MUST CONTAIN ALL ITEMS LISTED ABOVE. AN INCOMPLETE APPLICATION PACKAGE WILL BE INELIGIBLE FOR CONSIDERATION.

Your application MUST be received by midnight on the closing date of this announcement. Applications received after the closing date will NOT be eligible for consideration.

To verify receipt of your application package ONLY, you may call 703-275-3799.

What to Expect Next

The most highly qualified candidates will be referred to the hiring manager for further consideration and possible interview. We expect to make a selection within 30 days of the closing date of this announcement. Due to the large number of applications received, applicants will be contacted ONLY if they have been selected for an interview.

**Agency Contact Information** 

ODNI Recruitment; Phone: 703-275-3799; Email: Recruitment\_TeamA@dni.gov

Other Information

The ODNI is an equal opportunity employer and abides by applicable employment laws and regulations.

**REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES:** The ODNI provides reasonable accommodations to otherwise qualified applicants with disabilities. IF YOU NEED A REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION for any part of the



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application and hiring process, please notify the Intelligence Community Equal Employment Opportunity and Diversity Office Representative by classified email at DNI\_Reasonable\_Accommodation\_WMA@cia.ic.gov and DNI\_Diversity\_WMA@cia.ic.gov, by unclassified email at DNI\_DRA@dni.gov, by telephone at 703-275-3799 or by FAX at 703-275-1217. Your request for reasonable accommodation will be addressed on a case-by-case basis. PLEASE DO NOT SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION TO THE EEOD EMAIL ADDRESS. THIS EMAIL IS FOR REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION REQUESTS ONLY. PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION VIA THE EMAIL ADDRESS PROVIDED IN THE 'HOW TO APPLY' SECTION ABOVE.